GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA

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SETTING UP OF SUB DIVISIONAL OFFICE AT ERODE
Kharventhan Shri Salarapatty Kuppusamy

Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether a demand for setting up of a sub-divisional office of Employees Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) at Erode, Tamil Nadu has been pending with the Union Government for a long time; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor alongwith the time by which it is likely to be approved?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES)

(a) & (b): The proposal to set up a Sub-Regional Office of Employees Provident Fund Organisation(EPFO) at Erode, Tamil Nadu was placed before the Executive Committee, Central Board of Trustees(Employees' Provident Fund) in its meeting held on 25/09/2007. The matter was deferred as it wasdecided at the meeting that the issue of opening of new field offices of EPFO may be revisitedafter reconsidering the norms for opening of offices.